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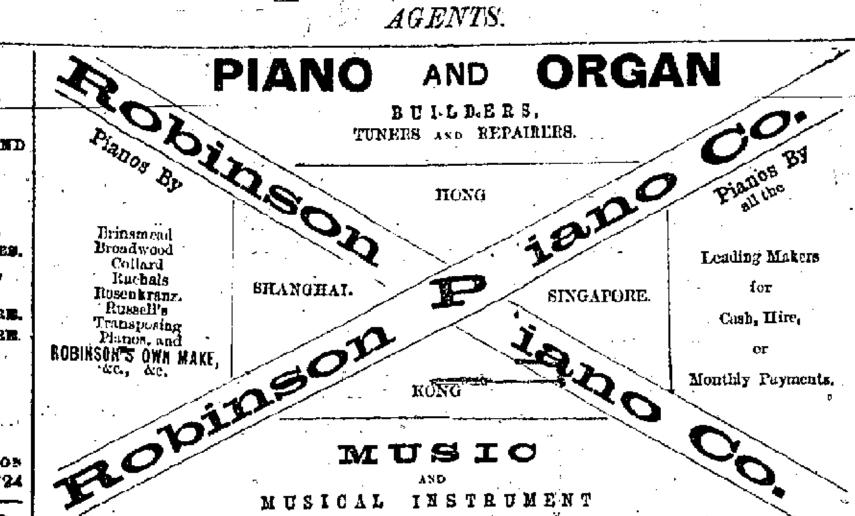
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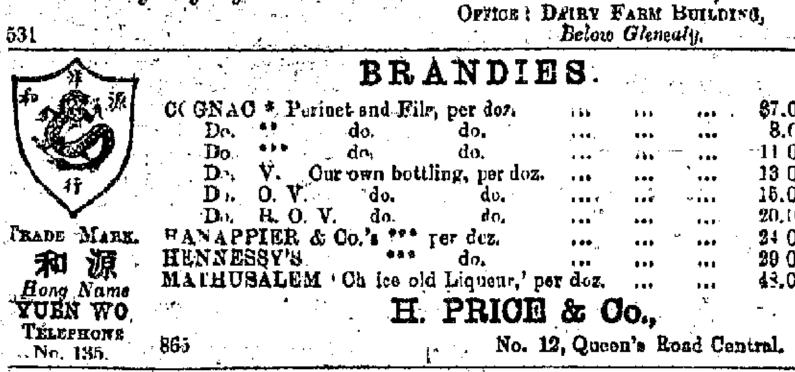
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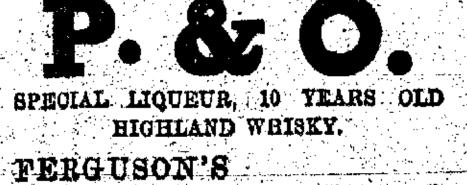
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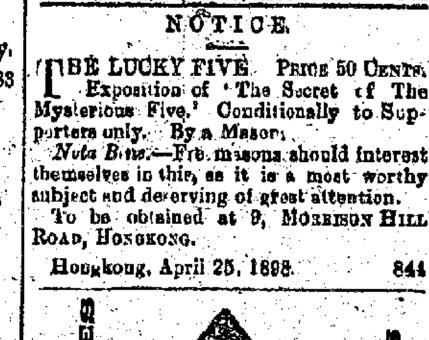


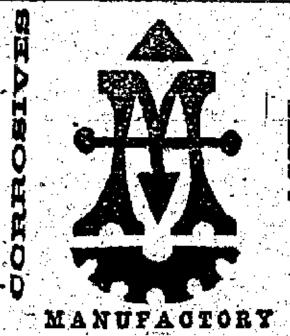
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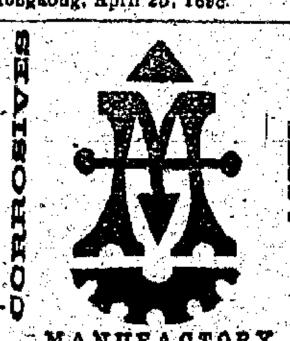
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ARBIVED. Per Preussen, from Bremen, &c., Mr E. fen Harold Low, Mr and Mrs Pfil and, Mr Henry Hus Bachr, Mr J. Baltzer and family, Marine Dir Eng. Alb. Rogge, Mesers G. Bernhard, P. Pfeiffer, H. J. Witsen Eliss, C. Boch, Mrs For Capt. Möller, Miss G. Stomblinck, Mr C. We H. Gale, Mr and Mrs Brand and family, Rai Meesre Pinger, L. Raulein, O. Lord, Rev. R. A. R. Fuller, Messre R. Henderson and L. W. Prange, and 243 Chinese. Per Niebe, from Singapore, Capt. Halger, Ho Mr and Mrs Nobara, Mrs Nygon and child,

PASSENGERS.

Smith, and 116 Chinese. Per Hainun, from Tamsui, &c., 11 Chi-Per Changeha, for Townsville, Mr Shile lito; for Sydney, Mrs Fraser Clark and child, Messre Buzton and Want. Per Wingsang, for Shanghai, Messes F

P. Daly, T. Henderson and G. Blob truis.

Per Myrmidon, from Singapore, Mr

BRIPPING REFORES, The British steamer Myrmiden reports t Light N.B. winds and tine weather throught

The British steamer Haimun reports fine and clear throughout. Steamer in lamsui: Kansu. Steamer in Amoy Betterophon.

POST OFFICE NOTICES.

MAILS will close:-BR, late of No. 5, Rast India Avenue | For NAGASAKI, KOBE & YOKOHAMA. Per Benlawers, at 9.30 a.m., on Thursday, the oth May. Per Rohilla, at 5 p.m., on Saturday, the 14th May.

For SINGAPORE -- : Fer Manila, at 11.30 a.m., on Thursday, the 0th May. For YOKOHAWA, KOBE & NAGASAKI. Per Hohenzollern, at 11.30 a.m., on Thursbay, the 5th May.

For TAMSUL their CLAIMS to the Undersigned before Per Kaifing, at 11.30 a.m., on Thursday, the 5th May .--For NINGPO & SHANGHAL .-Per Ka'gan, at 2.30 p.m., on Thursday, the bill May.

For SHANGHAL .-Per Lycemoon, at 2.30 p.m., on Thursday, the 5th May. For YO OHAMA & KOBE .-Per Palimeres at 10 a.m., on Saturday, the 7th May ...

For SINGAPORE, PENANG & CAL-CU ITA.— Per Catherine Apear, at 2 p.m., on Saturday, the 7th May. For SHANGHAI, MOJI, KOBE, YOKO-HAMA, VICTORIA & TACOMA. Per Victiria, at 11.30 a.m., on Tuesday,

the 10th May. For SHANGHAL MOIL KOBE, YOKO-HAMA & PORTLAND, OR.— Per Braemar, at 11.30 a.m., on Saturday, the 4th June.

MAILS BUTHE FRENCH PACKET. -The French Contract Packet Salazie will be despatched on SATURDAY. the 7th May, with Mails for the United Kingdom, Europo, and places be-yond, via Marseilles; to Saigon, Straite Settlements, Batavia, Burmah, Ceylon, Madras, the Australasian Colonies Aden, Natal and the Unpe, Egypt, Malta, and Gibraltar. The usual hours will be observed in

closing the Mails, &c. Plaff. Hamburg and Singapore April 27, MAILS by THE UNITED STATES PACKET. United States Mari. Packet Belgic will be despatched on TUESDAY, the 10th Mayawith Mails for Shanghai, Japan, San Francisco, the United

States, Canada, Honolulu, Pero, &c. which will be closed as follows :-10.00 a.M. Registry ceases. 11.00 A.M. Post Office closes, but Correspondence may be posted on board the Packet with Late Fee of 10 cents ex ru

Postage until the time of departure. MAILS BY THE BRITISH PACENT. the British Contract Packet Coromandel will be descatched on SATURDAY. the 14th May, with Mails for the United Kingdom, Europa, and coun-

tries bayond, and Brindlei; to the Étraits Settlements, Netherlands India, Burmah, Coylon, Aden, Egypt, Maits, and Gibraltar. usual hours will be observed in cicsing, the Mails &c.

Money Letters .- The Post Office decline all responsibility for unregistered Letters containing bank notes, coin, or jewellery, and, where Registration has been neglected, WILL MARE NO ENQUIRIES into alleged losses of such letters (Pout Guide, Par 80)

REDISTRATION. -- Correspondence can be registered for all Private Ship mails up to five minutes before the time for closing; for the Shanghai or Japan contract mails up to a quar-ter of an hour before; for mails for Europe, America, and Canada, &c., up to an hour before; for Indian, Northern Pacific, and Torres Straits made up to half an hour before.

LOCAL DELIVERIES.—Separate Boxes have been provided for posting Correspondence for the Town, Kowioon and the Peak. The Boxes are under the Window at the East end of the Verandah facing Queen's Road.

Hongkong Register,

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General Memoranda. FRIDAY, May 6:-Goods per Hyson undelivered after this

SATURDAY, May 2:-2.30 p.m.—Anction of Curiosities, at Me. s March 15; Bullmouth, 18; Nedjed new medical journal, entitled The Journal Geo, P. Lammert's. Nyaoka, Terioldale, 22; Chingree, Tanda of Transcoll Medicine 2.30 p.m. - Auction of Household Furniture, &c., at Mr. Paul Brewitt's.

SUNDAY, May 8:-Goods per Malacea not cleared after p.m. subject to rent. MONDAY, May 9:-

date subject to rent.

Noon,-Auction of H.M S. "Victor Emanuel,' 1 y Mossrs, Hughe's and Hough. 3 p.m.—Auction of Grown Land at Wongne chong Road. Tuesday, May 10::-Goods per Adria undelivered after this

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DEATH. At the Government Civil Hospital, this morning, May 4, Lindsay Stanford LAMONT CRAWFORD (eldest son of D. R. F. Crawford, Esq., Hongkong); aged 20 years

and 10 months. Deeply regretted. But The publication of this issue commenced

at 5.57 p.m.

The China Itlail.

HONOKONO, WEDNESDAY, MAY 4, 1898 LOCAL AND GENERAL

STEAMERS PASSED SUEZ CANAI (SUPPLIED THROUGH REUTER.) OUTWARD BOUND :- Wennington lus, Trenbum, 25; Benlawers, Flintshire, Morren, Siam, 29; Niebe, Otterspool, April 1; Marquis Bacquehem, Myr; Indrani, Kilburn, Underunted, 12; Java, Nestor, Yarra, Egremont Castle, Fallodon Hall, 15; Breconshire, Agamemnon, Vindobona, Labram, 26; Ceylon, Priam, Turbo, 29; Methourne, Della, Fortuna, Patroclus, Woolwich, May 3.

feld, Polyphomus, 15; Orwell, 19; on 17th April, and on the following day Rayern, Japan, Occanien, 22; Borneo, one of the hospital staff died of natural

PASSED ANJER. William H. May for Yokohama, from New York Nov. 12, April 1 .- British Manila March 1.

28.—Amor. ship William H. Smith from 27.—Amer. ship William H. Smith, from 28.—Brit. barque Ganges from Manila, play on the ground during the afternoon. March 4, for London. April 5.-Germ. ship Caesarea from Philadelphia, Jan. 5, Shanghai. April 9.—Italian brig Gari-

The P. M. Co. s s. s. Pent, with the AMERICAN MAIL of April 12th, left Yokoabout Tuesday, the 10th May. The P. M. str. Acter left San Francisco

The M. M. Co.'s str. Yarra, with the FRENCH MAIL of 8th April, left Singapore on Monday, the 2nd May, on or about Monday, the 9th May. This Packet brings replies to letters despatched from Hongkong on Feb. 26th, and March 5th.

with mails &c , left San Francisco for this port via Honolula, Yokohama, Inland Sea, Kobe, Nagasaki and Shanghai, on the 30th April

Steamers Expected. The L. A. Co.'s s. s. Siam, from Copenha-

be considered due at Singapore on or about the 18th April. Tacoma for Japan, and Hongkong, on scheme under their auspices. the 16th April.

The N. G. I. s. s. Bormida left Bombay for this port on the 24th April, and may be expected on or about the 12th

The C. M. Co.'s str. Kaisow, from Glasgow and Liverpool, the passed Canal on the 19th April, and may be considered due at Singapore on or about the 8th May.

Latest Advices. The N. Y. K s. s. Hakata Maru left Singapore for this port on the 3rd May and is expected to arrive here on the afternoon of 8th May.

The N. Y. K. s. s. Idrumi Maru left Singapore on the afternoon of 3rd May alternoon of the 9th May. The s. s. Cruigearn, from New York, left Singapore on the 3rd May, and is due here on or about the 10th May.

The E. & A. str. Aireis, from Sydney,

&c., left Port Darwin on the Sed May, for this port. The C. P. R. Co.'s s. s. Empress of Japan, from Vancouver, arrived at Yokohams on Tuesday, the 3rd May, at 9 s.m. and left again at 6 a.m. on Wednes day, the 4th May, for Kobe, where she is expected to arrive at 6 a m. on

A London telegram, announcing that China had agreed to French demands states the right has been reserved to Great Britain of milway extension to Kowloom.

Thursday, the 5th May,

UNDER instructions from the Official Re ceiver of the estate of Tso Cheong, in bankruptcy, Messrs Hughes and Hough offered for sale by auction yesterday the reclamation in front of marine lot No. 109. The let is bounded on the cast by French of the Sailors' Home. The reclamation is of Paris and St. Petersburg; bounded on all sides by roads and has an area of 26,507 square feet, a frontage of 165 ft. 8 in., and a depth of 160 ft. It was the solemn service. offered first in one lot and afterwards in two, but the bidding did not reach the reserve and the property was withdrawn.

> VESSELS AT THE DOCES :-- At Kouloon-Holstein, Isidoro Pens, Sishan, Activ. Cosmopolitan .- Coptic, Sungkinng. Aberdeen .- (None).

LOCAL Composers, 6 Pieces, by Orange, Ward, &c. Xmas 1897. Price, \$1.00.-Robinson Plane Company.

'IT IS REMARKABLE,' CAYS MR W. WILSON, THE PO D PULLE Chemist at RAWALPINET and Munne, How Chamberlain's Cough Remedy has attained a prominence in this district, and though it has only been in-troduced a few months it has taken the lead. From remarks made by my onstructs who have used this tempedy. I am convinced that it possesses exceptional qualities. I herer hecitate by recommand it to all who are in need of a good cough mixture. CHAMBERLASS'S COURS REMEDY IS sale everywhere. Price, 60 cts., and \$1. Chieral Value of Lyther & Col

THERE were 20 cases and 16 deaths to day from plague.

American' should send his name and address if he wishes his letter inserted. \*\* INTERESTING late telegrams by the

German mail will be found on page 5. DR Goldmann, correspondent for the Frankfurter Zeitung, arrived by the Ger-

man mail steamer Preussen. He proceeds to Manila by first steamer. DR Simpson, late Health Officer of Calcutta, and Dr James Cantlie, formerly of Hongkong, are appointed joint editors of a

of Transcal Medicine. The Straits Times, says :- 'A Chinese pasmidon, 5; Glenesk, Kriembild, Armenia, songer, mamed Captain Laing, (?) died on board the Preussen on the 28th April. The

deceased had been to Germany to a train-Kaisow, Yarra, Arizona, Cyprus, 19; ing college and was returning to China.' Maria Valerie, Oak Branch, 22; Sydney, H.M.S. Bonaventure arrived to-day. She reached Colombo on the 18th inst. with OMEWARD BOUND :- Pingsuey, Diomed, 318 officers and soldiers, on board. Two March 29; Amphitrite, April 1; Natal, deaths occurred during the voyage, one

OUTWARD :- March 31 .- American ship THE final in the Championship of the H.K. C.C. Lawn Tennis Tournament will be bk. Invermark for Liverpool, from played off on Saturday next, at 4.15 p.m., the players being Mesers Moberly and HOMEWARD: -- March 20. -- Brit. ship Selkirk | Pinckney. Mrs Wise has kindly consented March 26 British ship Treasurer from to distribute the prizes won in the tour-Hoile, Feb. 28, for New York. March nament, at the close of the game. By kind permission of Col. Retallick and Manila, March 9, for New York. March Officers, the Band of the H.K. Regt. will

for Nagasaki. April 9.-American ship The Sanitary Board will meet to-morrow Divigo from New York, Jan. 13, for afternoon.—Orders of the Day.- 1. bolds from New York, Dec. 22, for Sai- Amended Byo-laws for regulating the manufacture and sale of poisons and the sale of unsound and adulturated drugs. 2. Report of the Insanitary Proporties Commission. 3. The President, pursuant to hama on Monday morning, the 2nd notice, will move- That the Select Com-May, and may be expected here on or mittee appointed on the 21st April, 1898, by the Board to arrange all details, &c., for this port via Yokohima, Kobe and re establishment of a Chinese Plague Hosensaki, on the 15th April. pital under section 3 of Ordinance 11 of 1895, be dismissed."

at 6 p.m., and may be expected here THE water polo members of the V.R.C. met yesterday evening for the purpose of electing a Committee and organizing generally for the coming season. The follow-The P. M. s. s. City of Rio de Janeiro, ing elections were made-Captain, Mr W. A. Stopani; Vice Captain, Mr A. A. Alves, Hon. Sec. (pro tem), Mr T. Yule; Committee, Messrs Armstrong, A. E. Alves, and Meek, also the Captain and Secretary ex officio. A suggestion for the gen, Hamburg and Antwerp, passed formation of an open league competition the Canal on the 29th March, and may was warmly received and it was decided to approach the General Committee of the The N. P. Co.'s s. s. Olympia sailed from V.R.C. for permission to initiate the

It is very much to be regretted that the Plague is attacking a larger proportion of Europeans than formerly here. Scarcely a case outside of the working and nursing staffs was attacked in 1894, and the same remark applies to nearly the same extent to subsequent years. This year, however, the cases have been more numerous; and we believe the medical men have no satisfactory explanation to offer for this fact. The sad death of Sister Frances has been followed by the illness of Sister Gertrude. and is expected to arrive here, on the and the indisposition of Sister Catherine. We have now to-day the sad duty of recording the name of Mr Lindsay S. Crawford (Messra Lane, Crawford and Co.), whose young life has been cut off after only two days' illness. Mr Crawford felt feverish on Monday, and had a sharp attack the same afternoon, but he was not taken to Hospital until yesterday morning. He died at three o'clock this morning, and the greatest sympathy is felt for his parents, who are at present in Japan. His funeral took place this afternoon in the Happy Valley and a very large number of mourners gathered together to see the last rites [paid to young Crawford. Mr Crawford, Jun., was a popular young fellow, much respected and esteemed by a large circle of friends. He was a promising member of the Cricket Club, and of the Philharmonic Society, and also a member of the Volunteer Corps. The Hongkong Volunteers, having mustered in considera-Street and is a short distance to the west ble numbers at Head-quarters, marched down to meet the body at Bowrington Wharf, and proceeded to the Cemetery, where the Rev. G. J. Williams conducted

> El Imparcial of March 28th states that Beveral Philippine colonists, resident in Madrid, waited on the Minister for the Colonies and asked for support in raising. volunteers in the provinces for foreign service in the Philippines. The regiments would be a thousand strong, and would be intended to resist foreign invaders. They would equipped with swords bought by subscription, and with carbines by the Governor General of Philippines. The petitioners offered their services in conjunction with regular officers to command

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### REUTER'S TELEGRAMS.

(SUPPLIED TO THE 'CHINA MAIL,')

LONDON, 2nd May 1898. THE SPANISH AMERICAN WAR. DEFEAT OF THE SPANIARDS AT MANILA.

Madrid is greatly excited at the complete Spanish defoat at Manila and the people are openly lamenting the unpreparedness of the country for war.

RÉTURN OF LORD SALISBURY. Lord Salisbury has returned to London

from the Riviera. RESULT OF THE AMERICAN VIC-

The American victory at Manila has produced a buoyancy on all the European bourses, being construed as the beginning of the end of the war.

TORY AT MANILA.

THE CHINA ASSOCIATION. The China Association has given a lianquet to Sir Henry Blake. Sir William De Vœux presided; Sir William Robinson, Sir others were present. Sir William De

# SHANGHAI RACES.

FIRST DAY—Tuesday, May 3. JOCKEY ČUP-Once round. Bushey Park...... Time, -2.39 b. HART LEGACY CUP-Half-a-mile.

KIANG-SU PLATE-One mile and three quarters. Time, -3.491. THE RACING STAKES-One mile and Blanbert ........... Scotsman .....

CHUILL CUP-Mile. Nettlewood ..... Time, 2 84 GRAND STAND STAKES - Mile. \* 9 Southern Cross ......

Time, 2.73. Second Day. - Wednesday, May 4. CITU-KA-ZA CUP-Half mile. Artel ......

Pride of the North ..... 3

Time, 58%. SHANGHAT DERBY-Mile and half. Forest King  $Seotsman \dots \dots \dots \dots$ 

LADIES' PURSE—Mile and quarter. New Moon.... 

Time, 2.43. RACE CLUB CUP-Two miles! Type ...... ..... . .... .,,,,,,,, Time, 4.261.

THE STRANDING OF THE SISHAN FINDING OF THE COURT.

The following is the finding of the Court of Inquiry convened to enquire into the United States Government shall meanwhile the present rate. tircumstances connected with the stranding endeavour to influence the insurgents to

of the Sishan:--Official No. 89,083, of which John Jenkins | ment of Spain insisted that the request for was master, whose certificate as master is an armistice must come from the insurgents No. 378 of Hongkong, left Hongkong on themselves instead of through the United 22nd April, 1898, bound for Swatow with States. The note from Senor Sagasta further general cargo. The ship was light, her proposes, that the peace arrangements shall draught being 14.3 and 9.6. That she he made, without American intervention, encountered a strong N. E. monsoon, by the Cuban Parliament proposed to be 28th :-which caused her to anchor after leaving created under the scheme of autonomy Hongkong, but that at 0.30 p.m the which Spain has already offered to grant to voyage was resumed. That after passing Cuba. It is suggested that this Parliament through the strait between Tuniang Island | shall meet in May. The offer of the Unitand the mainland, a course was set which | ed States to assist in relieving the distress the Captain intended should take him three existing in Guba is accepted by Spain, and quarters of a mile south of the Middle | Senor Sagasta points out that the Spanish Rock. That the rocks according to the Cortes has just voted 3,000,000 pesetas p.m. The second mate it then appears | resume their ordinary occupations. any order from the Captain, and sent to l call the Captain. The Captain came on April 3. With reference to the appeal his name, and then said he had made the upper bridge almost immediately and | made by the Queen Regent Christina of a mistake. This morning the same ser- pedition that has been lately visiting this altered the course half-point more to the Spain to sovereigns of other European geant came again but, as nobody could part of the world, has been telegraphed for starboard and almost at once the ship countries, that they will use their influence speak Malay, he left, and present urgently to return to the United States. struck and passed over a rock which so towards averting war, reports from Madrid damaged her that she returned to Hong- state that some of the European Powers then asked if a sick man from Manila gone on to Hongkong, and have offered his kong with 10 feet of water in No. 2 hold | are strongly pressing both the Queen Reand 4 feet in No. I hold. According to gent and the Spanish Cabinet to grant Prethe evidence and also to the log, Middle sident M'Kinley's proposal for the pro- they knew no such man. He then asked if Rock was sighted 3 points on the port bow clamation of an immediate armistice in and 2 or 3 miles off, but no bearing was Cuba. taken and the time of sighting was guessed. Also, according to the evidence and the log, the ship going at a speed estimated at Washington reports that a fleet of fifteen and had not paid (an audacious lie.) He to whom he is unknown. Some of these 5 to 6 knots struck from 5 to 8 minutes warships is mobilized at Rey West in readi- then asked if they know an Englishman communications are of a remarkable Court was the reef which the China Sea other vessels are prepared for a descent rope and frequently to be seen with a cigar written offering marriage and a comfortable IT is stated that a man who stutters is Directory states lies 3 cables S.W. of the upon Porto Rico, and the Asiatic Squadron | merchant from Manile, also living in the home for the remainder of his life. He is always fluent when he swears This may Rock. It is evident, therefore, that either is able at once to bombard the Spanish same Hotel. Answer 'No.' He asked recovering from his wounds, and is now able not be true in all cases, but it certainly apthe time was very inaccurately guessed or possessions in the Philippine Islands, where again if they knew whether Aguinaldo had to walk about the wards without assistance. plied to a locksmith who lived in Kyneton son, Superintendent of the Jail, Mr. Brier. that the estimated distance of the Rock the natives are in constant robellion against any relations with the said Englishmen. when first eighted has been very much. Spanish rule, and would probably be ready One of this people living in the house havoverstated. This latter is made the more to assist the invaders. probably correct by the fact that immediately on sighting the rock the course was altered by the 2nd mate on his own | their willingness to proclaim an armistica going and returning. responsibility, and that the Captain almost in Cuba on condition that the United States | Commenting on the affair the same | teen lights have been put round the tank, | street, and, pointing in that direction, the | and closed again, the prisoner all the while immediately after altered it still more in withdraws its warships from the vicinity of paper observes :- There was a similar case and one large globe on the tower of Baba locksmith said- It's juit's the same direction, the inference being the island. that this hurried and extended alteration of course was made because the ship was found to be dangerously close to the Middle Rock and that she did not go off enough capital of the Island of Cuba, for the pur- up to Governor Sir William Robinson, who Curu. The temple authorities have secured TAR J. HARRY WATERS, HEAD. under her port helm to clear the pose of embarking the American represents at once telephoned, in the gentleman's two large chandeliers for inside the temple VI Master, Station School, RAWAL. rest. The Court is of opinion that the tive and the other officers attached to the presence, down to Captain May, head of in the hope of having them fitted up later river, says ! I regard Chamberlain's ship was not navigated with proper and consulate at that port. All Americana the police, demanding by whose authority on. The cost of the whole is R60,000, and Pain Balm as a most useful household warrant Damodhar stopped chanting and spanishike care, and that the Captala desiring to leave Cuba for the United such a thing was being done. Captain there are ample funds in reserve to defray medicine. Have seen it used for toothache, Manlasted to verify the position of the ship Bietes have also been offered free passages May replied that he was quite unawers of the maintenance exsenses. from time to time. We, therefore, find by the Government, who are vigorously the fast, but that stringent enquiry would. that the damage to the ship was caused by preparing for an armed intervention in be made. The result was that the instignt Now, my son, began the father, the the Pain Balm acted like a charm, the wronging act of the master Cuben affairs.

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### THE WAR.

THE CABLE INTERRUPTION.

A FALSE ALARM. Telegraphic communication with Manila which was interrupted on Monday has not yet been restored, and until the arrival of the despatch-vessel we are not able to give our readers authoritic information regarding the bombardment. We have received telegraphic despatelés from shome indicating that the only information received there has been through the medium of the Spanish despatches, and it is presumed that immediately after the Spaniards had telegraphed home to Madrid the surrender of the city, they had cut the cable, and stopped further telegraphic communication. Inquiries instituted regarding the terruption do not support the idea that has been advanced that the cable may have been injured in the engagement. Last evening it was freely stated in town that the Spanish flagship Reina Cristina was sunk and that other vessels of Clomenti Smith and one hundred and fifty | the Spanish fleet were either disabled or put to flight. We are unable, however, to Majesty, Christina, the Queen Regent of fendant. Veeux in proposing the toast of the evening | place any credence in this information, as we said, that Sir Henry Blake assumes the lave not heard authoritatively of any tele-

office of Governor of Hongkong under the grams being received to that effect. There most favourable auspices. Sir Henry Blake is a romour, however, that official telein returning thanks said that whatever grams are to hand-for the Governor and might betide, he entertained the most pro- the Naval Authorities; but if so, they have, found belief that Great Britain would be at | not been divalged. We understand that the top of the tree, and that British in the Telegraph Companies' Cable ship torests would ever be paramount (in China?) Shevard Osborne is not at present in Philippine waters, and it therefore may be some time before we are placed in telegraphic communication with Manila.

> It is evident, however, from Renter's telegram, which we publish to-day, that the day, referring to the possibility of Civil Thursday, 12th May, was fixed as the day Spaniards have telegraphed home a not very rosy account of the disaster. Reuter. believing that we are in possession of the in which the Spanish honour and Spanish full details, only ventures on an account of the effect of the American victory, and the at Madrid were, he said, exerting every ineffect of the press comments.

The Hugh McCultoch was expected to

arrive this morning with despatches from the Commodore Commanding the U.S. fleet, and a rumour having been in circulation that the dispatch vessel was sighted the U.S. Consul-General Mr Wildman, the Vice-Consul, and a number of press representatives had a nice little in a launch out to Lyemun Pass, but no dispatch boat was in view. The crew of a little American steamer, the Dosing, lying at Causewaybay, from the profusion of bunting she was displaying evidently have no doubts respecting the American victory and wish to celebrate it right loyally.

H.M.S. Immortalite was prepared for sea to-day, and left for Manila at four o'clock. She will probably relieve the Linart, which will steam to Hongkong, with despatches.

EVENTS LEADING UP TO THE

THE DONS AND THEIR DIGNITY.

THE SUGGESTED ARMISTICE IN CUBA. posal that the Spanish Government-shall make permanent peace, and also assist in We find that the British s. s. Sishan, relieving the distress in Cubs, the Govern-

THE UNITED STATES NAVY READY.

CONDITIONS OF THE ARMISTICE IN CUBA.

The Government of the United States of shadow a British subject from Manila, electricity on the ground that it would be America has sent vessels to Havana, the The gentleman in question went straight contrary to the doctrine expounded by the

The warlike feeling in the United States water topillate an langed to him differ change. The President is being attempt of any all think the their modes another everywhere. Price, 30 etc., and 31.

ller preparations. A circumstance which is considered ominous in view of the preseat strained relations of the two Powers is the departure for Paris of the family of General Woodford, the United States Minister to Spain.

THE CUBAN JUNTA : A NEW DEVELOPS

April 7th .-- The Cuban Junta, or Consultative Assembly, in New York insists apon the recognition of the Cuban Republic as a condition precedent to American intervention. Failing this, the members of the Junta declare that they will resist the American troops. AN EMPEROR'S SOLUTION OF THE

April 7th.—The Emperor Francis Joseph of Austria proposes that the Cubana he vested with autonomy similar to that which exists in Egypt, Spain receiving tribute and America being cutrusted with powers similar to those which are exercised in Egypt by Great Britain.

AVERTING A MASSACRE. President M Kinley has decided to delay sending his message to Congress regarding the Cuban situation until Monday flext. One reason assigned for this is that a message has been received from Mr Lee, the American Consul at Hayana, to the effect that it is impossible to remove the two thousand Americans in Cuba until Sunday, and that the President's message might Monday. precipitate a massacre. Another account hints that the post-ponement is due to President M Kinley having learned that Her. Wilkinson and Grist) appeared for the de-Spain s ready to make the concessions Mr Francis said this was an appeal against has refused. A more hopeful feeling pre- [the Summary Court, in which the plaintiff vails everywhere, with the result that a Mana Singh claimed from the defendant sharp rally has been experienced in Wall. Young Kan the sum of \$590 being principal

SPAIN BUYS THE YACHT "GERALDA." rapid communication with Cuba, the steam | case that this Young Kau was an infant at yacht 'Geralda,' the property of Mr H. the time the note was endorsed for him an M'Calmont, the well-known English sports- | defendant was also an infant under twentyman, for £100,000. The Geralda's speed one years at the date he gave the note

A LIKELY CIVIL WAR IN SPAIN. War, in the course of an interview yester- of appealing against that decision War, declared that it were better they for hearing the appeal. should fight foreigners than Spaniards. He expressed himself indignant at the manner rights had been trampled underfoot. The Queen Regent and the foreign diplomatists fluence for peace. Several of the members of the Spanish Cabinet were, however, in he declared, be inevitable if further constance of the United States.

A GIFT FROM THE ROTHSCHILDS. war cruiser to the Spanish Government, THE UNITED STATES AND NEUTRAL VESSELS. April 16 .- It is believed that in the event of war the United States will waive their right to search neutral vessels. THE FEELING OF THE ECROPEAN PRESS. The European press with the exception

of the English, generally side with Spain. THE SPANISH NATIONAL SUBSCRIPTION. The Spanish national subscription to inmillion pesetas.

PUTILIC DECLARATION BY THE SPANISH. never submit to insult from America, nor The deceased would appear to have been code an inch of territory. His remarks were received with enthusiastic cheers.

WAR PROSPECTS AND THE RUPEE,

A BOMBAY VIEW OF THE OUTLOOK.

### ON THE TRACK OF EMILIO AGUINALDO.

POLITICAL ESPIONAGE IN SINGAPORE. The following extraordinary story apperred in the Singaport Free Press of April of solid clay at a thousand y. Fla, the earth

the subjoined document whose substance was taken down by him verbatim from the witnesses concerned :- 'Yesterday morning a Malay Ser geant of Police walked into the house of Dr Marcelino Santos, Princopstreet, No. 134, making as an excuse an evidence and the log were sighted at 5.20 towards enabling the residents of Cuba to enquiry if the tenant of the house had applied to the Police for a summons against altered the course to starboard without THE QUEEN REGENT'S APPEAL TO EUROPEAN a certain person. He then asked what the tenant was doing in Singapore, what was ly returned with an interpreter. He It had been Dr Furniss's purpose to have named Camilo Auguado (a fictitious services to the American Admiral as an name) had arrived; to which they replied [additional surgeon .-- Singapore Free Press. Aguinaldo was there as 'he knew they Pierr Findlater, the here of Dargai, who were the agents and pimps for him. He is a patient at Netley Hospital, is the said further that Aguinaldo had taken a recipient of hundreds of letters daily from April 5 .- The Naval Department at quantity of medicine from a chemist's shop persons in all parts of the United Kingdom later in what in the clear opinion of the ness for an attack upon Havana. Five from Manila living in the Hotel de l'Eu. character. For instance, one lady has

THE PROTECTION OF AMERICAN SUBJECTS. European police were set to systematically interior of the temple to be lighted by fore I can tell you."

CORRESPONDENCE. THE KOWLOON FERRY SERVICE. To the Editor of the 'CHINA MAIL.' 4th May, 1898.

Sin, -The Public who patronise the Star Ferry Launches are not receiving, I ven ture to think, that superior accommodation promised in return for a rise of 66 At present there is a filthy lathely run-

aing, apparently hired by the Company. the decks of which are never washed down. being covered with fifth and verning say vermin advisedly, for I saw them. This is hardly the kind of increased accommodation I for one would wish to receive. -

A KONTLOON RESIDENT. P. S .- Washing down dooks with see water costs nothing.

SUPREME COURT. IN APPELLATE JURISDICTION. (Before the Full Court.)

Wednesday, April 4.

MANA SCROTT P. YEUNG KAU. This was a petition for leave to appeal against the decision of Mr Justlee Wise on Mr Francis appeared for the appellant:

Mr H. E. Pollock (instructed by Messrs th Senor Sagasta, the Spanish Premier, | the decision of Mr Justice Wise in a suit in

and interest on a prominisory note due on

29th June, 1897, given by the defendant to The Spraish Government is reported to one Young San and endorsed to the plainhave purchased, with a view to establishing [liff It appeared from the evidence in the The defence raised in the Court below was infancy, and the learned judge decided in April 8. - Senor Licut. General Don favour of the plaintiff and against the plea Miguel Correa, the Spanish Minister of of infancy, and the defendant was desirous

SHOOTING ACCIDENT AT THE BUTTS..

A WEST YORKSHIRE PRIVATE SHOT.

The Singapore Free Press states: -A most regrettable accident occurred at the Tanglist rifle range on April 25. About favour of war and popular outbreaks would, [5.30 the Regiment were engaged in firing bractice with the Lee-Metford, at a range cessions were granted to Cuba at the in- of 500 yards. In all there are four target and four butts, and men were stationed in each to record the progress of the firing sThe Paris Rothschilds have presented at The target are moveable cancas targets and, especially with the Lev-Metford, have to be hauled in each in time for in spection, the score being shown on the indicator above the butt. Firing has been going on for some time when the accident occurred, Ptc. Yates, the may in charge of the second butt on the left, being <u>sho</u>t through the shoulders and dying within half an hour of the time he received his injuries. The bullet went in at the point of one shoulder, acrosscrease the fleet already amounts to three the chest, passing through the nock, and emorging at a corresponding point on the point of the other shoulder, probably penelizating the apex of one of the lungs.in April 20 .- Senor Sagasta, the Spanish lits passage. The man was inamediately Premier, addressing a meeting of his sup- removed to Hospital, and Lt. Col. Surg. porters, said the limit of concessions had Johns on summoned, but Yates died from been reached, and that Spaniards would internal hemorrhage before he could arrive.

standing to one side of the butt in readiness to haul in the target after the fatal shot, the tall grass growing behind the target probably deceiving him into believing A commercial correspondent in the Bom- | that he was under cover. At any rate the London, April 2.—The Spanish authori- A commercial correspondent in the bomties, when the formal motion to declare bay Gazette indulges in the following specus unfortunate man was not visible to the Katz Bros. with a note which the Bank mediately after the dateity of the 12th were either ice bound or held under conveyed the impression that they were America and Spain is calculated to disturb | The evidence given at the inquest went profoundly anxious to avoid warfare with | European credit for some months to come | to show that a party of the military were the United States if that could be done and this will re-act to some little extent on shooting at the Tanglin hutts at 600 yds.: without involving loss of dignity. But the rupge paper. Its effect on India, however, four Monday, when the deceased, who was reply sent by the Spanish Premier to Pre- will be chiefly felt so far as exchange is in the butts acting as marker, was shot sident M'Kinley, which has now been pub- concerned. The rise in the sterling value | through the body, the bullet passing in at lished, inferentially resents interference on of the rupes during the last few days, one shoulder and out at the other. He the part of the United States between the bringing it up to sixteen penco once more, bled to death internally a short time after

Spanish Government and the Cuban in- is due partly to the heavy export trade and being shot. The butts consist of a wall of partly to the large withdrawals of gold masonry, flanked by a bank of turf, on from London for America owing to the war | which grass is growing. The marker stands Dealing with President M'Kinley's pro- scare. It is believed that export of wheat | behind the wall and hauls in the target and seeds from India will be stimulated if to see the result of the shot, which is proclaim an armistice in Cuba, to be hostilities are really begun, and this will then indicated above the butts. But in maintained until October next and that the assist in the maintenance of exchange at reaching out to pull in the target it is quite easy to get from under cover of the masonry, and behind the earth. Indeed. it seems to have been a custom for the marker to place one foot on the earth in pulling in the target. He is of course concealed from the firing party, the 1 might reasonably be considered under cover. With the high speed of the Lee Metford. bullet, however, penetrating forty inches embankment was no protection at all and A correspondent, who is well-known to the bullet simply went through that and us, handed in at this office in person to-day

The verdict of the Coroner was 'Acitlental death, and he added that the system was a wrong and dangerous one; that there should be a barrier to prevent the marker getting outside the masonry; that the hooks for pulling in the targets should be longer, and that there should be stops on the rails to prevent the target running too far away from the butta.

DR Furniss, of the American scientific ex-

THE BANK NOTE SWINDLE. ARREST OF TWO GERMANS.

Singapore, 28th April. The existence of w continental long! firm which appears to have been doing a very extensive business in forged Hongkong and Shanghai bank-notes was brought to light yesterday, two arrests being made | Chinese loan. on board the s.s. Preussen on a charge of being found in possession of counterfeit of the Teungli Yamen and proceeds to One of the passengers named Henri Grosso, who it is said made himself particularly pleasant to all the ladies on board on the way out, and was glways ready to order unlimited quantitles of champagne, yesterday offered a moneychanger on board a large sum in notes in exchange for cash. The money changer was unable to undertake so big an operation, and it was arranged that Grosso should go to a money changer's place in Flingstreet. This he did later in the day and offered 26 notes of \$50 each and 50 motes of \$25 each, in total of \$2,550, with a request for change. After some haggling the price was agreed upon, and the Kling handed over 236 sovereigns. Shortly afterwards he became termented with doubts as to the genuineness of the notes and took some of them to the Hongkong and Shanghai Bank, who declared them to be forgeries. Grosse was seat for, and actained until Inspec- day. tor Bourne arrived. The only account be gave as to how the notes came into his possession was that he had bought them of a money changer in Colombo. Permission was then obtained from the hieyele to-day, and found lying on the road will be announced. Sir Henry Fowler will Consul to search the ship, and it was there in an unconscious condition. found that Grosse had travelled from Garmany in company with a mannamed Schultz, and that they had stayed three weeks in Colombo, Schultz and Grosse sharing the same cabin. Search was made of all the baggage belonging to Grosse, but nothing was found, until Inspector Bourno asked

for a small trunk with a patent spring lock to be opened. Grosse immediately protested, stoutly denied that its belonged to him, and challenged the right of the detectives to interfere with it, as it belonged to his cabin mate Schultz. The latter was immediately sent for, and on being shown the box at once denied all knowledge of it. Grosse was accordingly asked to produce his keys, and eventually the box was opened, when it was seen to contain assorted bundles of notes laid flat in the box in piles of about \$1,000 each. A auspicious movement on the part of Schultz led the detectives to search him for arms, and a loaded revolver was found in his possession, a revolver not loaded being taken from Grosse. The two men were then arrested, and Taken ashore, this being about 5-30 last evening. A further search was made, and in addition to the bogus notes two stamping machines for numbering notes consecutively and other counterfeiting implements were discovered, together with a large sum in gold and Bank of England notes. All if a supposed Hongkong and Shanghai Bengal. notes are clever reproductions of the issue of the Hongkong branch, every detail down

to the signatures, being reproduced; and is is emisus to speculate what might have happen d'hal the gang succeeded in reachcurrency. In all the total face value of \$2,2,000, the value given by the prisoner | staff and responsibility As already stated prisoners are believed the Government of India from Tunis that jewellery, lace, etc., and in this connection for sanitary reasons, it may be noted that an unfortunate chetty is in custody in Penang for having coun-

terfeit notes in his possession, which it is supposed he may have come by honestly enough, but which led to his arrest when glands. he tried to exchange them. It is further stated that a number of the notes in question were in circulation on

have since confiscated as a forgery. This morning it was also rumoured that a further sum of begus notes, amounting in all to over \$5,000, had been discovered hidden in one of the beds of the cabin occupied by Grosse and Schultz, but as a careful search was made of the room yes. terday this may point to the fact that there" are still people on board belonging to the gang who were anxious to get rid of their

Prisoners appeared before the Magistrate, Mr Wolferstan, this morning, Honri Grosso being charged with using as genuine forged documents, and George Schultz with abitment of the offence and with being in porcession of materials or instruments for foreign bank notes. The case was remand: ed to the 5th proximo, bail being refused. Last night Sergeant Padmore arrested a counterfeit dollars in his possession.

AFFAIRS IN THE FAR EAST. BUSSIA WANTS THE CHINESE RAILWAYS. London, April 2nd, Reports from Rekin state that further aggressive action has been taken by Russia in the direction of securing exclusive control of railway

extension in China. Only Russians are now permitted to take part in the extersion of railways north of the Great Wall Under Russian advice the English engineers who had begun the work of railway construction have been prevented from continuing, and orders for railway material which had been placed with English, American and German firms have been JAPAN JEALOUS.

The Japanese newspapers continue recent policy of Great Britain in regard to the situation in China. They express the opinion that the intended demonstration by the British squadron in the Gulf of Pechili is directed against Native Police were present, but very few China with the view of overawing her into of the public! The affair passed off very making concessions. They complain also that the British policy has left Japan in a Press people were there, with a sprinkling state of isolati n. The articles throughout are couched in a tone of resentment against Great Britain.

Spanish official source. That abuse was pop i didn't you ever paint the town! Baim always speaks in the same terms. promptly knocked on the head, and those Well, my boy, it's a great many years should be kept in every medicine chest. Baim always speaks in the same terms. It CHAMBERLAIN'S PAIN BALM for sale

Reneral Apenta I-Warring & Co.

LATE TELEGRAMS. (Rangoon Gazette.)

THE YAR EAST. London, April 18.—Reuter wires from Yokohama atating it is officially aunounced

that Japan takes two millions of the

Oculist specialists have been summoned to Hawarden to see Mr. Gladstone. THE BOUDAN.

London, April 18. - Further operations against the Dervishes have been postponed until the end of July. April 20.—The Daily Telegraph publishes telegram from Assuan stating that an Egyptian genboat engaged the Atbara

seventy made prisoners. THE CANADIAN TARIFF. The Canadian House of Commons has pas ed the tariff resolutions, granting a quarter reduction on Indian goods.

FIRE IN LONDON .- DESTRUCTION OF SPUR-GEON'S TABERNACLE. Spurgeon's Metropolitan Baptist Tabernacle at Newington was burned down to-

BICYCLE ACCIDENT. Surgeon-General Clerkorn, at present at

St. Ives, Comwall, was thrown from his when the names of the Currency Committee BISHOP MYLNE'S SUCCESSOR.

April 18 .- The Rev. James McArthur, Vicar of South Acton, has been appointed Bishop of Bombay.

THE NORTH WEST FRONTIER. Landikotal, April 18 .- A sentry of the Royal Inniskilling Fusiliers was attacked last night by rifle thieves and received pistol bullet in the thigh, besides being cut over the head and neck. General Symons left for Jamrud to day to interview the Jirgas there...

April 20.—General Symons reconnoitred to-day a few miles along the Tartara route which leaves the Bargai valley to the north east of Landikotal. All was found quite. The wenther is cloudy with slight rain. THE DUM-DUM BULLET.

London, April 18 .- The German Chir. urgical Society have denounced the Dum-Dum bullet, and suggest that the provisions of the St. Petersburg Convention should be extended in order to prohibit its

Simla to-day to take up the Hythe School of Musketry post at home to which he has of the Government in the Far East and been appointed. April 21.—Surgeon Colonel Markham.

lately P. M. O. at the Cape, succeeds Surgeon General Walsh as P. M. O. addressed a long letter to the Corporation

the plague work shall be carried out on the ng Amoy, Swatow or Wooseng, where the dissolution of the Committee on the 1st sham notes would have found a ready proxime, and asks the Corporation to commercial rather than of a territorial chaconsider and report on the same. Briefly racter, and that while the Government desirthe notes discovered must reach about the Corporation is asked to take over the od freedom of trade with China for the whole

> Caloutta, April 19 .- An official report sions. Germany's interests, he continued, has been issued stating the death of the were absolutely identical with those of native referred to was not due to plague

THE RECENT MAIL DACOITY, Bombay, April 20.—The Kathiawar hoard the s.s. Preussen, and yesterday one Morvi police, assisted by the Thakore prove highly beneficial to commerce. of the passengers, apparently unwittingly, Saheb of Morvi, have proved successful in If effected some small purchases in Messrs. tracing the recent mail deceity. instant, footprints were traced, and it was found that the descrite, who were six in the balance of power would be undisturbnumber, had gone into the limits of Jam. nagar state. Suspected places were searched and investigation was made with regard | menace to Pekin, Lord Satisbury land offer. to the presence of the notorious characters, with the result that six of the Malia police were reported absent from the lines. Pursuing parties pushed on, and it was to their credit that all six absentees of the police were arrested on Sunday in Jampagar territory with property worth Rs. 3,000 in Wei-hai-wei on the same terms and condi-

CALCUTTA NEWE. Oulcutta, April 21 .- For some time park many Native papers have made it a practice view that although the latter possessed to publish affidavits in cases pending before the High Court, and az parte atatements in such affidavits, making violent attacks on Chinaman in Wayang-street with 50 persons concerned, especially when the occupation of Wel-hai-wel by Great Britain porcon chiefly conserned is a Judge or a Magistrate unable to defend himself. With a view to checking this practice an | tion and control. Au conclusion, Mr Balfour official application was made to the High Court this morning against the editor of Chinese Empire being opened to universal Amrita Bazar Patrika, but the Court de- trade, and that Great Britain would still clined to interfore in the present stage ofthe proceedings. It is understood the application will be renewed later on.

IMPERIAL POSTAGE. Simla. April 21.-The long discussed scheme for twopenny postage between the prey to the exclusive interests of any Power. Colonies. England and India is likely to come into force this year, the formation of ment Mr Balfour was greeted with loud a British Empire league for the purpose having been agreed upon. The rate for home letters from India will be simultaneously reduced to two annes.

(Times of Ceylon.)

THE POONA MURDERS-SCENE AT THE Poona, April 18. - Damodhar Hari Chapekar was hanged this morning at Yerrowds. A body of the Punitive Police and quietly. A few Brahmin students and of Europeans. The gallows yard situated outside the front gate is now enclosed by a high wall. Into one side the public were Magistrate, Mr Carvalho, arrived, when the party drew up in the entrance of the prison, consisting of Surgeon-Captain Jackly, Head Jailor, and Mr Carvalho, the Magistrate. The prisoner was led down the

ing left, his trunks were sent this morning Golden Temple, Amritar, has been com- cursing himself or his listener. Once as centre walk excerted by warders, Europeto the steamer at Tanjong Pagar; a des pleted. The sacred tank was lighted for he stood at his shop door a passer-by asked on and Native, followed by Mr Guider, As-The Spanish Government have declared tective followed the person in charge both the first time on the night of the 10th him where Millidge's ironntonger's shop sistant Superintendent of Police. The big before a large concourse. Altogether six- was. It was only a few doors up the inside gates were opened, admitted them in Hongkong not long ago in which Atal. The Sikhs would not allow the d !- it, man, go on. You'll be there be- etc. He was pinioned and he held in his hand behind him a copy of the Bhayend-gita, lent him by Mr Tilak. Notwithstanding his attempt to appear nonchalant. he showed a faltering, trembling lip and quivering eye, wildly staring. When Mr Brierley, Jailor, began to read the death said he did not want to hear it. He then rhounatism, and once on a very bad began singing louder. At the conclusion scalded fact, and in each of these instances. Mr Briefley asked him if he wanted to say anything, but he took no notice. The Every one who uses Chamberlain's Pain Magistrate then stepped forward and saked him again, to which Damodhar replied Kai Sangacha ! The front doors were then slowly pushed back, and Damodhan LCCAL Composers, & Places, by Grange, was led out still shanting. He gove Wards, &c. Xmas 1807, Price, \$1.00.

looking up las he traversed yards leading to the scaffold, Led to the foot of the gallows he looked up despairingly and mounted without assistance till the last step, at which he faltered ; but he soon recovered himself, singing louder than before, and taking his stand under the boam. His Admiral Seymour has had an audience legs were quickly fastened, the cap was drawn over his face, and he was launched into eternity. The body fell almost haddied up into the pit below, having a drop of 7 feet 6 inches. A convulsive tremor passed through the body as it straightened out, death rapidly supervening. The gallows yard was then cleared and locked up, and the body left hanging for an hour. Relations came forward and asked for the body, which was given them with a provise that it be cremated at the river side near the Bund. When the body was removed lugitives near Elaliab, and that as they the book was still in the hand. The body refused to surrender 200 were killed and was placed on a bamboo stretcher and carried by men to the river side, a Police guard accompanying.

THE INDIAN GOVERNMENT AND A GOLD

Bombay, April 21 .- The Pioneer's London correspondent wires that an epitonia of the Government of India's despatch on the measures requisite to render a gold standard for India effective, has been

City opinion is generally unfavourable to the proposal." The despatch will be laid home on leave from India, and staying at before the House of Commons shortly, probably be the president.

There is a growing distrust in London in

Indian securities, and Threadneedle Street is apparently participating, which, it is, feared, may affect the next sterling loan. THE PLAGUE. The Plague is seriously increasing at

Kurrachee and in the Punjab. The Kurrachee Municipality has resolved to borrow two lakhs of rupees from the Bombay Government to meet Plague expenditure. Yesterday's returns at Bombay showed 95 cases and 89 deaths from Plague : and from all causes 183 deaths. TRACIC DEATH AT BOMBAY.

Mr H M. Steuart, Traffic Manager of the Baroda railway, was run over and killed by a train at Church Gate Street level crossing last night at a late hour.

BRITAIN'S LATEST DIPLOMATIC

MR BALFOUR'S STATEMENT. London, April 6 .- In the House of Commons yesterday, Mr A. J. Balfour, Acting Simla, April 19.—General Hamilton left | Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, made his promised statement regarding the policy what came of it. He stated that the impossibility of submitting papers during the continuance of negotiations, combined with the extraordinary and unaccountable paralysis of China, had provoked attacks upon the Government. Her Majesty's Ministers Bombay, April 18.—Government has had, however, adhered strictly to the policy announced by him (Mr Balfour) at Manindicating the manner in which it desires chester on January 11th. He had stated on that occasion that Great Britain's interests in that quarter of the globe were of a world, she would resist all attempts on the Simla, April 19. - A report has reached part of other Powers to destroy what ha described as ' an equality of opportunity to to have spent three weeks in Colombo, the pilgrimage from Tunis to the Hedjaz ell countries. In pursuance of that policy where they purchased large quantities of has been prohibited for the present year Great Britain had, said Mr Balfour, already obtained great commercial conces-Great Britain, while, with regard to but to fever accompanied by swollen Russia, the Government did not believe that that country would in any way interfore with Brisain's treaty rights, while her policy of railway extension in Manchuria Times says the efforts of the Jamnagar and and of open ports was calculated to Russia remained satisfied with

> conditions which required freedom of trade, ed. Believing that the occupation of Port Arthur by Russia would prove a constant: ed that if Russia would agree to abstain from occupying that port, Great Britain would not seek to occupy any port in the Gulf of Pe-chi-li. Russia, however, refusi ed to agree to this proposal, with the result that Great Britain had secured a leaso of their possession. The inquiry is atill in tions as those upon which Russia had occupied Port Arthur. Regarding the relative strategical merits of Port Arthur and Wei-hai-wei, Mr Balfour expressed the less natural strongth, if was capable of accommodating larger ships and a larger Milicary and Naval force. Moreover by the the Gulf of Poohl-li was prevented from falling under Russia's undisputed dominasaid the Government were hopeful of the maintain a real suzerainty over the country. Failing this, the Powers, commercially interested, might, concluded Mr Balfour, he counted upon to constitute an alliance which would prevent China from f lling a At the conclusion of his voluminous state-

> > Sir William Harcourt, the leader of the Opposition, replying to Mr Balfour's statement regarding affairs in Eastern Asia, declared that the Government had abandoned its policy of 'equality of opportunity' in favour of one of 'rival occupation.' Mr G. N. Curzon, Under-Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, said that Weihai-wel was a favourable port for observation, and that, therefore, its occupation would facilitate the 'policy of the open

Continuing, he said that Russia had explicitly admitted the right of British warships to enter Port Arthur. He added that the British occupation of Wei-hai-wei had not disturbed either

Japan or Germany. Sir Edward Grey, who was Under Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs in the last Liberal administration, contended that the occupation of Wei-hai-wei would prove extremely expensive, and he doubted whether, at any, cost, its occupation would prove to have restored that balance of power which had praviously existed. Lord Charles Beresford, Conservative member for York, on the other hand, held that the acquisition by Britain of Wei-hai-

wei would prove an excellent counterpoise to Russia's occupation of Port Arthur. The debate was then adjourned till the The Duke of Devonshire in a speech has stated that Port Arthur gave Russia a strategio sea advantago and by its means she menaced Pekin. The cocupation of Welshal-wol by Britain would lesson Chi-

nose apprehensions. At China's request her wazahips would be allowed facilities at Wel-hal-wei and Britain had consented to train her Naval officers. Lord Kimberley says that the diamena bermont of China is inevitable.

## Notices to Consignees.

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THE PENINSULAR & ORIENTAL BTEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY'S STEAMER BENGAL.

FROM BOMBAY, COLOMBO AND BTRAITS.

MONSIGNEES of Cargo by, the abovenamed Vessel are hereby informed that their Goods are being landed and Daylight. placed at their risk in the Hongkong And KOWLOON WHARF AND GODOWN COMPANY'S Godowns at Kowloon, where each consignment will be sorted out Mark by Mark and delivery can be obtained as soon as the Goods are landed.

This Vessel brings on Cargo :-From London, &c., ex s. s. Himalaya. From Australia, ex a. s. India. From PERSIAN GULT, ex s. s. Paina, Kilma and

Optional Goods will be landed here unless, instructions are given to the contrary before 10 a,m. To-mornow. Goods not cleared by the 4th May, at

4 p.m., will be subject to rent. No Fire Insurance will be effected by me in any case whatever. All Damaged Packages must be left in the Godowns and a certificate of the damage

obtained from the Godown Company within ten days after the vessel's arrival here, after which no Claims will be recognised. H. A. RITCHIE,

Superintendent. 869 STEAM TO YOKOHAMA, KOBE AND Hongkong, April 28, 1898.

'GLEN' LINE OF STEAM PACKETS. FROM ANTWERP, LONDON, AND STRAITS.

ITHE Steamship Glenogle having arrived from the above Ports, Consignees of Cargo by hor are hereby informed that their Goods are being landed at their risk into the Godowns of the Hongkong and KOWLOON WHART AND GODOWN Co., LTD. at Kowloon, whence delivery may be ob-

Optional Cargo will be forwarded unless notice to the contrary be given before Noon, To-DAY. Cargo remaining undelivered after the

5th May will be subject to rent. No Fire Insurance has been effected. Consignees are requested to present all Claims for damages and/or shortages later than the 12th May, otherwise they will not be recognised.

Bills of Lading will be countersigned by JARDINE, MATHESON & Co., Agents.

Hongkong, April 28, 1898. THE CHINA MUTUAL STEAM

· NAVIGATION COMPANY, LIMITED.

NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES. FROM SWANSEA, LIVERPOOL AND

SINGAPORE.

ITHE Company's Steamship Hyson, having arrived from the above Ports, Consignees of Cargo are hereby informed that their Goods are being landed at their risk into the Godowns of the Hongkong & KOWLOON WHARF & GODOWN Co., Kowloon,

whence delivery may be obtained. No Claims will be admitted after the Goods have left the Godowns, and all Claims must be sent in to the Office of the Undersigned before Noon on the 6th May, or they will not be recognized.

will be examined on FRIDAY, the 6th May, at 3 p.m. No Fire Insurance has been effected, and any Goods remaining in the Godowns after

the 6th M sy will be subject to rent. Bills of Lading will be countersigned by HOLLIDAY, WISE & Co.,

Hongkong, April 30, 1898.

NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.

THE PENINSULAR & ORIENTAL STRAM NAVIGATION COMPANY'S STEAMER MALACCA.

FROM ANTWERP, LONDON, PORT SAID, SUEZ AND STRAITS.

MONSIGNEES of Cargo by the above-I named Vessel are hereby informed that their Goods are being landed and placed at their risk in the Hongkong and KOWLOOK WHARF AND GODOWN COMPANY'S Godowns at Kowloon, where each consignment will be sorted out Mark by Mark and delivery can be obtained as soon as the Goods are landed.

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Steamers. DOUGLAS STEAMSHIP COMPANY,

LIMITED. FOR SWATOW, AMOY AND TAMSUL The Co.'s steamship Hailoong,

Captuin Rosson, will be despatched for the above Ports T() MORROW, the 5th Instant, at

For Freight or Passage, apply to DOUGLAS LAPRAIK & Co., General Managers.

Hongkong, May 4, 1898.

The Steamship Captain G. HEUSEMANN. be despatched for the above Port on THURSDAY, the 5th Inst., at 3 p.m.

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This Steamer has superior Accommodation for First and Second-class Passongers. For Freight or Passage, apply to SIEMSSEN & Co.

Hongkong, May 3, 1898.

NORDDEUTSCHER LLOYD. NOTICE.

NAGASAKI. (Passing through the INLAND SEA). The Co.'s Steamship Hohenzollern, Capt. H. Bleeken, will

Capt. H. BLEERER, with on or about THURSDAY, the 5th May. For further Particulars, apply to MELCHERS & Co.,

Agents.

Hongkong, April 29, 1898. NORDDEUTSCHER LLOYD.

NOTICE. STEAM TO SHANGHAL The Co.'s Steamship

Preussen. Captain HENIZE, due German Mail about the 4th May, will leave for the above Place about 24 hours latter arrival.

For further Particulars, apply to MELOHERS & Co., Agents.

Hongkong, April 29, 1898. FOR SINGAPORE, PENANG AND CALCUTTA.

The Steamship Catherine Ancar,
Captain J. G. OLIFENT,
will be despatched for the above Ports on SATURDAY, the 7th ately. In t., at 3 p.m.

For Freight or Passage, apply to DAVID SASSOON, SONS & Co., Agents.

Hongkong, May 2, 1898. EASTERN & AUSTRALIAN STEAM-SHIP COMPANY, LIMITED.

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Hongkong, May 3, 1898. EAST ASIATIO COMPANY, LIMITED

FOR HAVRE, ROTTERDAM AND COPENHAGEN. The Co.'s Steamship

Captain C. Corp, will be expected here on or sbout the 10th May, and will be despatch-

ed as above on or about the 14th May. For Freight or Passage, apply to ARNHOLD, KARBERG & Co.,

Hongkong, April 26, 1898. FOR NEW YORK *VIA* SUEZ CANAL

The Steamship Queen Margaret

will be despatched as above on or about the

25th May. To be followed by :-S.S. St. Ninian, on or about 15th June. S.S. Craigearn, on or about 30th June. For Freight or Passago, apply to SHEWAN, TOMES & Co.,

Hongkong, April 21, 1898.

Sailing Vessels.

FOR NEW YORK. The American Ship Captain Lyons, shortly expected from Shanghar, will load here

for the above Port, and will have quick despatch. For Freight, apply to

SIKMBSEN & Co. Hongkong, April 19, 1898. FOR BAN FRANCISCO. 100 A.L. British Ship

LEVER, Master, abortly expected here will load for the above Port, and will have quick despatok. For Freight, apply to SHEWAN, TOMES & OF Dongsong, Mach 10, 1888,

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(East Asiatic Service). FOR LONDON, HAMBURG AND

ANTWERP.

(Taking Cargo at through rates to AMSTER-DAM, ROTTERD M LISBON, OPORTO, LIVERPOOL, GLASGOW, NORTH AND SOUTH AMERICAN PORTS).

The Co.'s Steamship Andultuia. Captain Schedter, will be despatched as above on er about 7th May.

For Freight, apply to CARLOWITZ & Co., Agents.

Hongkeng, April 27, 1898 COMPAGNIE DES MESSAGERIES MARITIMES.

PAQUEBOTS POSTE FRANCAIS. FOR SHANGHAI, NAGASAKI, KOBE AND YOKOHAMA.

The Co.'s Steamship Captain Le Coispellien, above Ports on or about MONDAY, the Oth Instant.

For Freight or Passage, apply to G. DE CHAMPEAUX,

Rongkong, May 3, 1898. OCEAN STEAMSHIP COMPANY. FOR LONDON VIA SUEZ CANAL.

The Co.'s Steamship Captain Jackson, will be THURSDAY, the 12th May. For Freight, apply to

BOTTERFIELD & SWIRE. Agents. Hongkong, April 28, 1898.

Notices to Consignees. HAMBURG-AMERIĆA LINE. (EAST ASIATIC SERVICE).

NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES. FROM HAMBURG, ANTWERP AND

SINGAPORE. THE Steamship Adria having arrived from the above Ports, Consignees of Cargo by her are hereby informed that their Goods are being landed at their risk, into the Godowns of the Honckong and Kow-LOON WHARF AND GODOWN COMPANY, LD: whence delivery may be obtained. P. rish-

Optional Cargo will be dispharged here nuless notice to the contrary be given immediately. No Fire Insurance has been effected, and any Goods remaining in the Golowns after

The Ste mer having arrived under general average, an average bond will be signed at Hamburg. Bills of Lading will be countersigned by CARLOWITZ & Co.,

Hongkong May 3, 1898.

NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES. FROM CALCUTTA, PENANG AND SINGAPORE.

THE S.S. Cutherine Appear having arrived from the above Ports, Consigness P. & O. S. N. Co.'s Omeo. of Cargo are hereby informed that their Goods will be delivered from alongside. Cargo impeding the discharge or remaining on board after 4 p.m. of the 4th This Steamer is installed throughout with Instant, will be landed at Consignees' risk and expense into the Godowns of the HONGRONG AND KOWLOON WHARP AND GODOWN COMPANY, LIMITED, at Wanchai, Consignees of Cargo from SINGLEGRE and Penanci are requested to take imme-DIATE delivery of their Goods from alongside; such Cargo impeding the discharge of the Vessel will be landed and stored at

Consigness' risk and expense. No Fire Insurance will be effected. Bills of Lading will be countersigned by DAVID SASSOON, SONS & Co.,

Hongkong, May 2, 1898. NORTHERN PACIFIC STEAMSHIP

COMPANY. .. NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.

STEAMSHIP VICTURIA, FROM TACOMA, VICTORIA, YOKO-HAMA, KOBE AND MOJL

MHE above Steamer having arrived, Consignees of Cargo are hereby requested to send in their Bills of Lading for counternignature, and to take immediate delivery of their Goods from alongside. Cargo impeding the discharge of the Vessel will be landed and stored at Consignees' risk and expense.

DODWELL, CARLILL & Co., Hongkong, May 2, 1898.

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STEAM FOR MAIGON, SINGAPORE, BATAVIA, COLOMBO, PONDICHERRY,

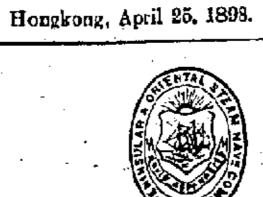
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PORTS OF BRAZIL & RIVER PLATF.

IN SATURDAY, the 7th May, Noon, the Company's Steamship SALAZIE, Captain Paul, with MAILS, PASSENGERS, SPECIE, and CARGO. will leave this Port for MARSEILLES via via Ports of Call, without Transhipment. Cargo and Specie will be registered for London as well as for Marseilles, and accepted in transit through Marseilles for the principal Places of Europe.

Shipping Orders will be granted til p.m., Specie and Parcels until 3 p.m. the 6th May. (Parcels are not to be Agency's Office).
Contents and value of Packages are re- Noon.

For further particulars, apply at the Company's Office. . G. DE CHAMPEAUX,



STEAM FOR STRAITS, CHYLON, AUSTRALIA INDIA, ADEN, EGYPT,

MEDITERRANEAN PORTS, PLYMOUTH AND LONDON. Through Bills of Lading issued for BATA-VIA, PERSIAN GULF, CONTIN ENTAL AND AMERICAN PORTS.

F. N. TILLAND, carrying Majesty's Mails, will be despatched from this for BOMBAY, &c., on SATURDAY, able Goods to be taken delivery of immedi- the 14th May, at Noon, taking Passengers and Cargo for the above Ports.

Silk and Valuables, all Cargo for France, and Tes for London (unier arrangement) -Ill be transhipped at Colombo into a Tuesday, the 10th Instant, will be subject | steamer proceeding direct to Marsellles and London; other cargo for London, &c., will be conveyed and Bombay.

Parcels will be received at this Office antil 4 p.m. on the day before sailing. The contents and value of all packages are

Shippers are particularly requested to note the terms and conditions of the Cornpany's Bills of Lading.

For further Particulars, apply to A M. MARSHALL. Acting Superintendent. Hanglong, May 2, 18 8

NORDDEUTSCHER LLOYD.

STEAM FOR SINGAPORE, COLOMBO, ADEN SUEZ, PORT SAID, NAPLES, GENOA,

NOTICE,

INTWERP BREMIN & HAMBURG, PORTS IN THE LEVANT, BLACK SEA & BALTIC PORTS; LONDON, NEW YORK, BOSTON,

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GALVESTON & SOUTH AMERICAN THE COMPANY'S STEAMERS WILL CALL

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Proposed Sattings from Hofickong. SUBJECT TO ALTERATION.

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calling of NAPLES and GENOA.

WINDROR.

Cargo and Specie will be received on board until 5 p.m., on Turnay, the 24th board until 5 p.m., name day; all Parcel Packages will be received at the office until with residents who wish to send home a board until 5 p.m., name day; all Parcel Packages will be received at the office until with residents who wish to send home a board until 5 p.m., name day; all Parcel Packages will be received at the office until with residents who wish to send home a board until 5 p.m., name day; all Parcel Packages will be received at the office until with residents who wish to send home a send the Far Rast Circulating, as it dose.

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HONOLULU. PROPOSED SAILINGS FROM HONGKONG. Belgie (via Shanghai, Nagasaki, Kobo, Tuesday, May 10,

hama & Hono!ulu! Coptic (via Bhanghai, Nagasaki, Kobe, Inland Ser, Yokoat Boop. hama & Honolulu) uelic (via Shanghal, Nagasaki, Kobe, Thursday, June 16, Intand Sea, Yokoat noon.

Cargo will be received on board until 4 L be despatched for SAN FRANCISCO, sent on board; they must be left at the INLAND SEA, YOKOHAMA and HONO. LULU, on TUESDAY, the 10th May, at

> INLAND SEA OF JAPAN and call at HONOLULU, and passengers are allowed to break their journey at any point en route. Through Passengers Tickets granted to England, France, and Germany by all trans-Atlantic lines of Steamers, and to the principal citles of the United States or Canada.

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HE Steamship COROMANDEL, Capt. destined to points beyond San Francisco, in the United States, should be sent to the lector of Oustone, San Francisco. or Passage, apply to the Agency of the Company, No. 7, Praya Central.

Flongkony, April 18, 1898.

HONOLULU. PROPERT SALLINGS PROM HONGKONG eru (via Shanghai,) Nagasaki, Kobe, THI REDAY, May 19. Inland Seq. Yokoat Buon. hame & Honolulu

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THURSDAY, 12th

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FRIDAY, 18th May,

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For further information as to Freight, Passage, Sailings, Etc., apply at the Com-

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FOR PORTLAND, OREGON, FOR VICTORIA, B.C., & TACOMA, IN CONNECTION WITH IN CONNECTION WITH Oregon Railroad & Navigation Co. Northern Pacific Railway Co. Steamer. Com Steamer. Tons Captain. . Captain. May 10 Braemar ... 3601 E. Porter ...... June 4 Victoria. ... 3167 J. Trubbridge .... Olympia... 1:08 l. H. Dobson.... May 21 Mogut ..... 365 W. H. Wright.... June 18
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For further information as to Passage or Freight, apply to DODWELL, CABLILL & Co., Hongkong, April 29, 1898. General Agents.

Print Heinrich | Wednesday | Jan. 4, 1899.

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